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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant files herewith an amendment in response to the Office Action dated November 23, 1999, rejecting claims 1-4, 6-9, 46-47 and 51-55 of the above-referenced patent application. In the event that the Examiner does not enter the amendment, Applicant encloses this Notice of Appeal. Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. A statement of small entity status has already been filed in this application. Therefore, the fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$150.00. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with this application may be charged to Patent and Trademarks Office Deposit Account No. 19-2825.

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